

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 107
By Turner B

A RESOLUTION to recognize Russell Brown on becoming an
Eagle Scout.

WHEREAS, at a time when this nation's youth face difficult challenges, the Boy Scouts of America is one of our finest assets, providing young people with an educational program that contributes significantly to their character development, citizenship training and improved mental and physical fitness; and

WHEREAS, the highest rank a Boy Scout can attain is that of Eagle Scout, and Russell Brown, after considerable effort and diligent preparation, has joined the prestigious Eagle Court of Honor; and

WHEREAS, the son of Carter and Vicky Brown, Russell is a Senior at Brentwood Academy, where he has demonstrated considerable ability as a leader among his peers; and

WHEREAS, serving as the Captain of the wrestling team, Russell set a remarkable example for his team members as he placed third in the Division II State Wrestling Tournament; and

WHEREAS, Russell also plays football and baseball and is a member of the National Honor Society and the National Math Honor Society; and

WHEREAS, his notable record of achievement as a Boy Scout includes 21 Merit Badges, of which he particularly enjoyed earning the Lifesaving Badge; and

WHEREAS, Russell's Eagle project greatly contributed to the betterment of his community and reflected the true spirit of Volunteerism, as he constructed a scorer's platform; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that we should pause to recognize Russell Brown as one of the most outstanding young people in our State; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby applaud and honor Russell Brown on becoming an Eagle Scout, and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final resolving clause omitted from such copy.